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Attention: FCC Docket 92-235

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Gentlemen:

Gila County, Arizona, a 4,748 square mile mountainous rural county has several serious objections to the proposed FCC regulation limiting radio frequencies and power of their base stations. At present our 110 w. system transmits at 158.940 MHZ and receives at 154.100 MHZ. With this system we have quite a few dead spots and other areas where transmission and reception

Although, this proposal may work very well for small eastern counties and great plain counties, the large western counties will be adversely affected. For our safety and fiscal well being we urge you to consider how this proposed regulation is going to effect the western states and counties.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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